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IN RE APP	LICATION OF:)	
	Beck et al.		
Serial No.:	10/532,285) Examiner:)	Houghtling, Richard A
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RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION MAILED NOVEMBER 29, 2007

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir/Madam:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed November 29, 2007, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the above-identified patent application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

The <u>Listing of claims</u> begins on page 2 of this paper. The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

Remarks begin on page 14 of this paper.